#### GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA ABSTRACT

Horticulture Department –Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (Sub Scheme SHM) - Constitution of Committee to Monitor Cold Storages – Orders – Issued.

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# AGRICULTURE AND CO.OPERATIOIN (HORTI & SERI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 489 Dated: 29-08-2017

Read:-

From the CoH, Hyd., Lr.No.SHM/470/2016/ LSQ,Dt.:07.08.2017

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### ORDER:-

In the reference read above, the Commissioner of Horticulture has stated that State Horticulture Mission / MIDH (Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture) is providing subsidy to the farmers of Telangana towards establishment of Cold Storages under the component of Post Harvest Management with a assistance of Rs. 2800/- per MT up to a maximum of 5000 MT as per the cost & norms of MIDH, and it is credit linked back ended subsidy. The Department of Horticulture, Hyderabad has sanctioned (56) cold storages since 2007 as on today in the districts of Telangana state. An amount of Rs.5701.95 Lakhs has been released subsidy under SHM so far and (08) number of Cold Storages project proposals has been received for this current financial year.

- 2. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad has also stated that, the District Collector/ Warangal Rural has addressed D.O. letter dated:25-05-2017 stating that, the farmers are facing a lot of difficulties for sale or store their produce during the crop season as the promoters of the Cold Storages are not permitting them to store their produce in storages. Due to such reasons they are unable to get sufficient place to store and get good prices of their produce. The District Collector has requested to issue some Delegation of Powers to the District Officers for regular monitoring and supervision of cold storages and State level policy decision has to take on at least 50% Godown space shall be provided for poor farmers during the peak season.
- 3. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad has requested to constitute a committee with the officials of the districts to monitor cold storages & store at least 50% of the farmers produce during season which were assisted by the Department.
- 4. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby constitute the Committee with the following officials of the districts to monitor cold storages and store at least 50% of the farmers produce during season which were assisted by the Department:

1. Joint Collector of concerned District	 Chairman.
2. DHSO of concerned District.	 Member/Convenor
3. DAO of the District.	 Member.
4. District Marketing Officer	 Member
5. Lead District Manager	 Member.
6. DSO from Civil Supplies	 Member.

- The Committee shall monitor the cold storages regularly on the following aspects:
  - 1. To check the quality parameters of the Cold Storages maintained by the promoters.
  - 2. To check the storages produce in the Cold Storages.
  - 3. To check the working conditions of plant & machinery.
  - 4. To check the temperature & capacity of the unit.
  - 5. To check the Humidifiers of the unit.
  - 6. To check the quantity of produce stored in the unit.7. To check the details of products stored in the unit.

  - 8. To check the conditions of Ante room cum staging area.
  - 9. To check the Air Ventilation system.
  - 10.To check the transaction.
  - 11. Any other information
  - 12. To check the lables of the produce i.e., Name of the product, Village & Mandals, Total duration.
  - 13.To check the cost particulars for the produce.
  - 14. Any other information as per requirement.
- The Commissioner of Horticulture, Telangana, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

#### (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNER OF TELANGANA)

## **C.PARTHA SARATHI APC & SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Commissioner of Horticulture, Telangana, Hyderabad.

All District Collector (through Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad)

The PS to Minister (Agriculture.)

The PS to APC and Secretary to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department.

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**SECTION OFFICER**